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that's wide open. It's not that I have undying disrespect or lack of faith in our Executive Board, but I think that the members of this body have a great responsibility here to direct the Executive Board in this matter because you're going to have to live with whatever they do, and although I helped elect the members on that board, I'm also going to maintain some degree of input from time to time and this is one of those times. I'm saying that there are many things that each of these members in this body can give to members of that Executive Board as far as direction, you ought to realize your own limitations, and I say that some very dangerous possibilities here as it now reads, and Mr. President so I will again say let's not let it, Senator Carpenter's kill motion go, let's keep the bill alive, but I would then again hope we will put this bill in the committee and give us all time to come up with some reasonable things for this board.

SPEAKER: Were Senators Stahmer and Nore asking for the floor? Senator Stahmer.

SENATOR STAHMER: Mr. Speaker would I be in order to call for the question?

SPEAKER: Well I think the debate is concluded Senator, unless Senator Nore has some words of wisdom. In that case Senator Carpenter do you wish to close?

SENATOR CARPENTER: Obviously I don't want you to kill the bill. This is one method to put this body on record to verify what you'd told us definitely some time ago to accomplish. It is a wide open bill by intent and not by accident. I ask for a record vote.

SPEAKER: The Senator has asked for a record vote. The question is, shall the bill be indefinitely postponed? All those in favor of indefinite postponing vote yes, all those against indefinite postponing vote no. Have you all voted? The Clerk will record.

CLERK: Voting an aye, Senator Burbach, Dickinson, Moylan, Nore. Voting Nay Senator (read). Not voting (read). 4 ayes, 39 nays, 6 not voting.

SPEAKER: The motion is lost. The bill remains alive. Senator Snyder.

SENATOR SNYDER: Well Mr. Speaker, members of the body, I would again renew my motion that we send LB 204 to a committee for a public hearing. Senator Carpenter for the record you said earlier that we asked for some multi space in Omaha. I merely nominated you for the position of Chairman of the Executive Board, and in doing so I said that while I may not agree with you very often, that you are a man who was a doer and I still feel that way. You have quite a bit of horse power, but there are times when machines with a lot of horse power need to be governed, and in this case I hope to be a governor. I think that we are in need of some time to think this out, I think we are in need to give due consideration to just how much more responsibility, not only do we want to take on, but responsibility we are physically able of taking on and duly carrying out, because I say that if we can't do the things that we are going to be telling the people through the media here today, then we are going to put another black mark on the record of the legislature. So let's give this thing due consideration and Mr. Speaker, I renew my motion.

SPEAKER: Is there a second to Senator Snyder's motion? The motion has been seconded, that this bill referred to committee, be referred to the committee, we are ready for discussion. Senator Nore.